

OTTENHEIMER & CO.

NOTICE—On and after JULY 4th we will close our Store at 6 P. M., EXCEPT SATURDAYS.

During the remainder of June and July we make our ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE of all our Light Weight Cassimeres in Suits in MEN'S AND BOYS' SUITS.

We have a Very Large Stock of New and Desirable SPRING AND SUMMER CLOTHING, which has been REDUCED IN PRICE.

Boys' and Children's Suits AT GREAT REDUCTIONS.

The Best and Largest Assortment of New STYLISH SUITS.

COOL CLOTHING,

Thin Flannel, Pongee, Plain and Fancy Silks, Coats and Vests, SERGES, Seersuckers, ALPACA MOHAIRS, in Great Variety.

FLANNEL SHIRTS in Cheap and Fine Grades.

SILK SHIRTS, Outing Cloth, Cheviots, White and Fancy Percales.

Boys' Waists.

STAR PERCALES

Boys' Flannel

Boys' Knee Pants.

Jersey Kilt Suits.

Jersey Boys' Suits.

Flannel Kilt Suits.

Fine Underwear, in BALBRIGGANS.

White and Fancy VESTS.

Boys' Shirts.

Boys' Flannel Shirts

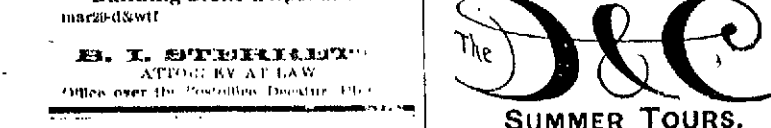
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RAILROAD TIME TABLES

WABASH, ST. LOUIS & PACIFIC RAILWAY.

CATCHING CODFISH.

A GRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THEIR CAPTURE AND CURE.

The Trip Was Better for a Sick Man Than Six Months of Doctoring—Hauling the Sixty Hauls from the "KID" to the Salted Fish.

On the right and left of the fisherman as he stands at the rail are people looking into and extending some two inches above the rail. These are the "pull bobbles" for the lines to run against. A small cleat is attached to the bulwark, to which the line is made fast, each man having two lines, one at each hand. A small pin or "kid" is built against the side of the vessel near each man's fishing berth into which the fish are thrown when taken from the hook and a larger one called the "key kid" is built into the side of the vessel for the reception of the fish from the dressing tables. Two large butts are lashed to the bulwarks and the fish are thrown into them. The fish are then thrown and left to "dry" of their own accord, the oil being drawn off now and then as occasion requires from a spigot near the bottom of the butt. Everything is now ready and I continue fishing.

RECEIVING THE FISH.

Two or three partly pickled hams are placed on each hook and the leads are then thrown over the side and soon I feel them thump on the bottom. The lines are then drawn in about three feet and made fast to the cleat. Now I stand with "bobbles" on my hands and away in my harrow, or long oldish apron, and grasping one line in each hand "saw" them back and forth alternately against the pull bobbles, thus striving to entice the fishy beasts to take my bait.

Soon a dispatch is sent from the bottom of the Atlantic along my bougie, a message that some poor victim has purchased of his last meal, and, dropping the other line, I quickly haul in hand over hand and soon have my first fish over the rail and into the kid.

Putting my hook once more I throw the lead overboard and while it is running down, I grasp the other line and find that this too has secured a prize. Surely this is getting exciting, and so I pulled in our second line, the dripping cods formed graceful circles on the little platform at my feet. I forgot that I was over an island and our whole thought was centered on the one idea of discovering whether I have one or two cod-fish at the end of that line. It surely does seem strange and with less than half an hour I have secured a fine haul. I have now a fine haul of fish, and with a lead and a joyful hurrah I haul over the rail.

Talk about pills and bottles to quicken a sluggish circulation! That last haul really did me more good than all the drugs I had taken for the past six months.

LIKE A LARGE SHADDER HOUSE.

The fish were all gathered from the several fish and thrown into the one amphitheater which adjoins the "key kid." The dressing table is then set up against the side of the hull, and, taking our several positions, we are ready for action.

Our thrasher, Lowell, by name, stands facing the dressing table and, reaching down, seizes a fish with his left hand, the thumb grasping the under jaw and lifting him, places the back of the fish's neck across the edge of the kid, and with a quick slash of his two edged dagger severs the head. A deft movement of the knife then removes the tongue, which is thrown into a tub near by. He then flips the fish down the belly for enough to expose the entrails and quickly flipping out the liver slices the fish across the table to the "header," who stands ready upon the opposite side. During the time the thrasher is thus engaged, the header, I represented that individual, and was indeed thankful that our first catch was not a large one, for I was certainly anything but an expert when I tackled my first fish.

The operation of heading is after this manner: The header is provided with wooden mittens having a thumb and forefinger. As the fish is laid across the table by the thrasher, the header seizes it by placing the forefinger of the left hand directly in the fish's eye and the thumb under the lower jaw. Then with the forefinger of his right hand he grasps the principal intestine where it is joined to the body and with a quick jerk tears it away. As the fish is thus headed, the header grasps the fish by the throat and with a quick snap against the nape with the right hand and at the same instant a sudden downward jerk of the fish's head with the left, the head is broken off and falls into a tub between his feet, while the headed fish slides over to the thrasher. The thrasher then grasps the fish by the throat and with the left hand and the right hand, he seizes the fish by the throat and with a quick snap against the nape with the right hand and at the same instant a sudden downward jerk of the fish's head with the left, the head is broken off and falls into a tub between his feet, while the headed fish slides over to the thrasher. The thrasher then grasps the fish by the throat and with the left hand and the right hand, he seizes the fish by the throat and with a quick snap against the nape with the right hand and at the same instant a sudden downward jerk of the fish's head with the left, the head is broken off and falls into a tub between his feet, while the headed fish slides over to the thrasher.

ST. Nicholas Hotel

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ENCOURAGEMENT FOR THE FARMER.

The summer wind is smiling round the blossoms. And the clover in the pasture is a big day for the bee.

And they have a sweet honey, abundant and on the fly. Till they stammer in their beards, and stagger as they fly.

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A Cure for Nervous Debility caused by an inactive liver and a low state of the blood.

For some time I have been troubled with heart disease. I never found anything to help me until I began using Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I have only used this medicine six months, but it has relieved me from my trouble, and enabled me to resume work.

I have been a practicing physician for over half a century, and during that time I have never found so powerful and reliable an alternative and blood-purifier as Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla, Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

SIXTH POINT

You should read THE CHICAGO DAILY NEWS because, being a daily newspaper, it contains everything that is going on in the city and the world.

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss.

In the Circuit Court of said County to the September Term, A. D. 1900.

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